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Mr. Joe Ramirez, Director  
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2910 East Fifth Street  
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OR91-364

Dear Mr. Ramirez:

You ask whether certain information is subject to required public disclosure under the Texas Open Records Act, article 6252-17a, V.T.C.S. Your request was assigned ID# 12861.

You sought an open records decision from this office pursuant to section 7(c) of the act. Consequently, this office notified representatives of Link Transportation System, Inc. that we received your request for an open records decision regarding it proposal for an UMTA Entrepreneurial Services challenge grant for the Austin Airport Shuttle. In our letter to Mr. S. Edward Rutland, this office requested an explanation as to why portions of the proposal were excepted from public disclosure, with the caveat that their failure to do so within a reasonable time would result in this office instructing you to disclose the information.

More than 14 days have elapsed since this office issued it notice, but Link Transportation has failed to provide this office with any explanation as to why the requested documents should not be released. Consequently, we have no basis for applying any exceptions to required public disclosure to this information. *See* Open Records Decision No. 552 (1990). Because neither you nor Link Transportation have contended to this office that the requested information should be withheld, you should release the information at this time.

Yours very truly,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "John Steiner", is written over the typed name.

John Steiner

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Enclosures: Submitted documents

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